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MEMORANDUM TO FILE

Sir:

This memorandum is to document the fact that several telephone conversations have been held with Examiner Saltarelli (and several telephone messages exchanged) over the past approximately three months in an effort to move the present application to issue. Mr. Saltarelli has indicated that the application is allowed, that the allowance paperwork has been done twice, and that the application is somehow stuck in an administrative problem that is delaying its issuance.

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Yesterday, January 9, 2007, the undersigned spoke with SPE John Miller regarding this problem. Mr. Miller indicated that he understood that there is an administrative problem holding up issuance of this application, and that he is working toward solving the problem so that the patent can issue.

Respectfully submitted,

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